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Sir:

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114 <u>AND</u> PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed in response to the Advisory Action mailed August 30, 2006 and the final rejection mailed April 19, 2006. The Applicants submit herewith a check in the amount of \$1240.00, to cover the \$790.00 payment of the large-entity RCE filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e), and the two month large entity extension of time in which to respond.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.